

REMARKS

Reexamination and reconsideration is respectfully requested in light of the foregoing proposed amendments to the specification and claims and the following remarks.

Claims 50-52 and 54-60 are pending in this application. Claims 1-49 have been previously canceled without prejudice or disclaimer. It is proposed to amend the claims by cancelling claim 53, which has been rejected by the Examiner. It is further proposed to amend the specification at page 9, line 29 to page 10, line 2 to reflect that the paragraph refers to Figs. 4(a), 4(b) and 4(c). No new matter would be introduced by these amendments and the amendments would not require any further search or consideration by the Examiner. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the proposed amendments be entered.

The Examiner indicated that claims 50-52 and 54-60 are allowed. However, claim 53 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, first paragraph. It is proposed to cancel claim 53, thereby rendering the rejection moot. Accordingly, the proposed amendment should be entered because it removes the only remaining rejection in the application.

The Examiner noted that Fig. 2 was missing from the specification. The missing figure is attached to this response. When the application was filed, there were 58 pages of drawings. A copy of the receipt card is also attached to this response showing the number drawing figures filed. Figure 2 was page 48 of the 58 drawing figures filed. It is respectfully requested that the missing drawing figure be accepted and entered into the file. In addition, the Examiner noted that the reference to Fig. 4 should be directed to Figs. 4(a), 4(b) and 4(c), and required correction. Accordingly, the paragraph at page 9, line 29 to page 10, line 2 in the specification has been

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amended to change "Figure 4" to --Figures 4(a), 4(b) and 4(c)--. Approval of the amendment to the specification is requested.

By proposing to cancel claim 53 and to amend the specification in accordance with the Examiner's instructions along with providing the missing Fig. 2, the application should be in condition for allowance.

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 and due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 500417 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

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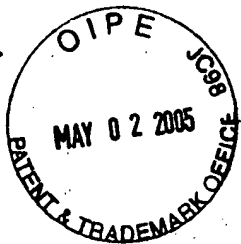
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